

SENATE BILL 599

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AN ACT to amend Tennessee Code Annotated, Title 49,
relative to academic standards.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF TENNESSEE:

SECTION 1. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 49-1-312, is amended by adding the following to the end of subdivision (c)(1):

The committee shall identify each standard as foundational or advanced, based upon the standard's complexity, in the committee's final recommendations made on or after January 1, 2024.

SECTION 2. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 49-1-313, is amended by adding the following to the end of subdivision (b)(1):

The committee shall identify each standard as foundational or advanced, based upon the standard's complexity, in the committee's final recommendations made on or after January 1, 2024.

SECTION 3. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 49-1-211, is amended by deleting subsection (b) and substituting:

(b) TCAP scores reported pursuant to subdivision (a)(3), or otherwise, must:

- (1) Be disaggregated by subgroup;
- (2) Be disaggregated by performance level results; and
- (3) Include student proficiency rates for the foundational and advanced academic standards, as determined by the state board of education pursuant to §§ 49-1-312 and 49-1-313, tested on each TCAP.

SECTION 4. This act takes effect January 1, 2024, the public welfare requiring it.